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What is the Matter With Adair County Schools?

Editor News:

I do not wish to appear as a pessimist or as an alarmist, nor do I wish to cast any reflection upon my predecessors in office, but I do contend that the schools of our county are far below the standard of efficiency which they should reasonably be expected to maintain. While in some respects marked improvements have been made, in others the schools are inferior to what they were twenty-five years ago; and so it is a question as to whether, on the whole, much improvement has really been made or not. I shall not enter into a comparison of the merits and demerits of the schools now, and the schools then, but I do propose to point out some wrong conditions now existing, and if possible, suggest remedies for them. And just here I wish to answer a question that has several times been put to me within the last year or so. Why do the best teachers now get but \$40 per month, as they have for the past two years in Adair county, while formerly they received \$50, \$60, and some of them as high as \$70 per month. True, the per capita was just \$40 in 1912, while in 1911 it was \$4.40. But this should not make so much difference. I confess that at first this puzzled me until I sat down and made some figures. The fact that under the new way of paying teachers the merest tyro can teach, with a third-class certificate and no experience, teaching a third-class school must have \$35 per month, answers the question in part. This increase of salary for the third-class teacher is subtracted from that of the first-class teacher. There are a number of districts in Adair county where under the old per capita method of paying teachers the teacher would get about \$125 for six months work whereas now she gets \$210. The difference of \$85 in each case is taken from the wages of the better qualified teachers. Then take into consideration the fact that of the 78 white districts in our county only 49 are large enough to meet the requirements of the law, except in case of emergency, and you have the rest of the answer. Strictly speaking, we may say there are not more than 50 legal districts in the county, outside of our Columbia Graded School and the ten colored sub-districts. Under this state of affairs the best teacher with first-class certificate, State Certificate, or State Diploma, with Normal training and large experience gets only \$5.00 per month more than the poorest teacher with third-class certificate, no experience and no training. This will certainly drive the better teachers out of the profession in very long time. This places no premium upon merit. There is no incentive to the boy or girl to prepare in earnest for teaching, when the best talent, the highest aspiration, the completest preparation, and the ripest experience can rise only \$5.00 per month above the lowest in the profession. But what is the remedy? This is easier to ask than to answer. The first suggestion I would make is this: Reduce the number of districts. Make them all legal districts, if possible. Make no new districts, unless in so doing one or two old ones can be abolished, and the others affected by the formation of the new district be left at least as large as before, if not larger. The 78 white districts should be reduced to 60 in number. Outside of our Columbia Graded School, the average salary of the teacher this year in Adair county is \$37.00 per month counting assistants and colored teachers. By reducing the number of districts to 60 we can raise the average to \$46 per month. I do not say that this reducing the number of districts to 60 will be done or even that it can be done, but the matter will be fully investigated just as soon as I can get the time and opportunity to do so. I am opposed to the cutting and slicing process, and my policy shall be, as far as it is consistent with the best interests of the children and patrons, to lessen the number of districts and make the small ones remaining larger and larger. — Tobias Huffaker, Superintendent

Mr. J. S. Breeding reports the following results of the sale at the home of W. C. Van Hoy: Milk cows sold from \$46.00 to \$126.00; mules sold from \$75.00 to \$150.00 per head; horses sold from \$100.00 to \$185.00. Sheep brought \$8.00 per head. Yearling cattle, 40 head, sold at \$29.75 and up.

Mr. Burr Huddleston, who was a son of Mr. A. A. Huddleston, died suddenly in Texas last week. His remains were conveyed to Burkesville for interment.

Mr. Jesse Burton, who was eighty odd years old, died near Bearwallow church last Sunday.

Dr. Frank Cheek Visits Columbia.

Dr. J. F. Cheek, of Danville, visited Adair county last week. Saturday forenoon he preached to the Presbyterian church at Union, and Sunday forenoon and evening he delivered two interesting sermons in the Presbyterian church, this place, large congregations hearing him. One hundred and two years ago his great grandfather, Samuel Robinson, was pastor of the Presbyterian church in this town. His father was born in Columbia Thursday night, en route to the deceased late home, in Russell county. Mr. Hudson was about thirty-five years old, and was a good citizen.

Public Sale.

As the Administrator of the estate of W. A. Helm deceased, I will on Saturday the 4th, day of April, 1914, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, at public outcry, the personal property of said decedent, which consist of all the tools, machinery and stock of materials in the machine shop located near the town of Columbia, Ky., being the same which was operated by said Helm before his death. This property will be sold on a credit of six months, purchaser will be required to execute bond with good security for the purchase price, and bearing interest from date until paid at the rate of six per cent per annum. The sale will take place at 10 o'clock on said day at said shop.

F. J. Barger, Admr
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Columbia Chapter No 209 O. E. S., entertained the parties, who assisted them in the "Village Post-office" play, last Friday evening, in the Masonic Hall. The evening was spent in enjoying games of several kinds, music and contests. Mr. Sam Lewis and Count Stults won the prizes of the contests. Miss Edna Lewis served the punch during the evening. Block cake, fruit gelatine and whip cream were also served as refreshments.

Mill For Sale.

Forty barrel flour mill in good grain section and good town, well located near Public Square, in good repair good trade. Will sell at bargain or exchange for good property. Reason for selling, bad health. For particulars address

STOKES BROS.,
Monticello, Ky.

Miss Stella Conover, who accidentally got her arm broke at Wheeling, West Virginia, two weeks ago, writes her parents that she is getting along nicely, but she will not be able to use her arm for two months. She teaches penmanship, but she will instruct in other branches while her arm is getting well. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conover, this country, and is receiving the very best attention.

Found.

A large nickel plated watch, open face, with fob. Owner can have by calling and describing same and paying for this notice.

Mr. Hugh Richardson will remove his Midget flouring mill from this place to Glenville. Lumber for the milling house is now being sawed, and Mr. Richardson hopes to be able to remove his machinery early in April.

The Louisville and Nashville Railroad company has cut its passenger rates, starting the first of May, to 2½ cents a mile. This will apply to Kentucky and several Southern States.

Mr. Tom Epperson, of Montpelier, was in Columbia last Saturday, and informed us that he had eight ewes from \$46.00 to \$126.00; mules sold from \$75.00 to \$150.00 per head; horses sold from \$100.00 to \$185.00. Sheep brought \$8.00 per head. Yearling cattle, 40 head, sold at \$29.75 and up.

Mr. B. F. Rakesraw, of Campbellsville, was here Friday, en route home from Carthage Landing from which place he shipped over a million feet of lumber to Burnside.

Ladies of Methodist Church will have an Easter Bazaar on Friday before Easter.

You can get Easter novelties at the Easter Bazaar in Frank Sinclair's store April 10th.

Died at Elizabeth Hospital.

Mr. S. B. Hudson, who lived near Montpelier, but in Russell county, died at Elizabeth Hospital, Lebanon, last Wednesday afternoon. He was a victim of kidney trouble and was conveyed to the hospital last Saturday week. The patient was so far gone when he arrived in Lebanon, that Dr. McChord did not think it advisable to operate. The remains reached Columbia Thursday night, en route to the deceased late home, in Russell county. Mr. Hudson was about thirty-five years old, and was a good citizen.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

On Monday, April 6th, 1914, at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., the same being the first day of a regular term of the Adair County Court, at 1 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described tracts of land or a sufficiency thereof to satisfy the tax and cost due for the year 1913 the following named persons, to wit:

WHITES, DIST. NO. 1.

J. W. Bault, 58 acres joins Ples Barnett, tax and cost for the year 1913

J. W. Beatty, 49 acres joins W. M. Beatty, tax and cost for the year 1913, (balance)

J. H. Nance, (N.R.) 79 acres joins E. Watson, tax and cost for the year 1913

COLORED, DIST. NO. 1.

J. R. McWhorter, 40 acres joins G. W. White, tax and costs for year 1913

WHITES, DIST. NO. 2

G. W. Cravens, (N.R.) 28 acres joins Richard Harmon, tax and cost for year 1913

WHITES, DIST. NO. 3.

Jno. S. Helm, 5 acres joins W. R. Taylor, tax and cost for the year 1913

WHITES, DIST. NO. 4.

Wm. Coomer, 2 acres joins J. W. Moore, tax and cost for the year 1913

L. E. Compton, (N.R.), 50 acres joins Peter Compton, tax and cost for year 1913

I. P. Dooley 100 acres joins

Pay as You Go.

The world is turning to-day to a cash system. The man who buys as well as the man who sells is seeking a place where cash is appreciated and the average dealer is hunting the "cash order trade." The old-time twelve month credit system is a thing of the past. It did not give satisfaction to the seller or the buyer. Many things are bought on long credit, that if the cash had been required they would not have bought at all. The young generation should be taught to pay as they go. They will turnless to style and more to the real problems of life. The motto of 1914 should be "pay as you go." — Owen County Democrat.

Wanted.

Black jack spoke timber will pay on our yard in Columbia, \$20 per 1000, size 2½ in. on heart, 3 in. deep and 30 in. long.

The Adair Spoke Co.

We have received a reply to Prof. Huffaker's temperance article from Dr. J. T. Jones, but the management of this paper has decided that a sufficiency has been said upon the subject. Both Dr. Jones and Prof. Huffaker have had their say. There must be a stopping point and the time is ripe for it, as Dr. Jones last article would call another reply from Prof. Huffaker.

Our Cane Valley letter is of unusual interest to the people of that section of the county. Our correspondent is on to his job, and we are glad, and that locality will also be pleased to know, that the writer has promised us a letter weekly. Cane Valley is the second town in point of population in the county, and is entitled to be represented in each issue of The News.

Mrs. W. H. Speer, of Hatcher, Taylor county, writes us that she has sold from a small flock of Rhode Island Reds, from January 1st to March 8, 180 dozen eggs, besides having plenty for table use.

There is a church for worship in the eastern portion of this county, not far from Sano, named Hypocrit Chapel.

Will Practice Law.

Mr. W. A. Coffey, who has been reading law for some time, went to Somerset last week and stood an examination, touching his qualifications. The examiners were Mr. B. L. Waddle and Judge Jas Denton, and the examination was held before Judge B. J. Bethurum, the Circuit Judge of that district. Mr. Coffey missed only three questions in the two hours he was before the board, his rate, all through, being 97 per cent. Mr. Coffey will practice here.

Music and Dramatic Club.

Misses Kate Hogard and Mary Chandler entertained the Music and Dramatic Club Saturday afternoon at the Club room at L. W. T. S.

The program was much enjoyed by all after which delightful refreshments consisting of hot chocolate wafer and bon bons were served.

A very clever musical contest was entered into eagerly by all in which Miss Alice Walker won the prize, a dainty hand made handkerchief.

Prolific Chickens.

In the last two months some very fine chickens have been received at this place, by different parties, and at this time there is talk of having a poultry show in this place. Every body seems to be interested and the show will attract great attention. The latest addition is a rooster and two hens, the breed being the pure White Faced Black Spanish. This trio was received by Mr. E. L. Fease from Orleans, Ind. The hens are said to be the greatest layers in the world.

Notice.

Teachers of sub-districts Nos. 27, 58, 65, 75 and 78, have not filed their annual reports with the superintendent yet. Also the colored teachers of sub-districts B. & G., C. & I., D. & L. have failed to file their annual reports. These teachers will please file their reports without further delay.

Respt.,
Tobias Huffaker, Supt.

From the Assessor's Book.

The following statistics were taken from the Assessor's Book, and will be of interest to the people of the county:

No. of horses in the county	12,108
" " " miles	2,343
" " " cattle	5,653
" " " sheep	2,908
" " " hogs	13,702
" " " voters	3,509
" " " school children	4,224

The Poultry Business.

More money is paid for chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and eggs in this town than for any thing else that is marketable. Read what two poultry houses in Columbia paid out in cash last week. S. H. Grinstead & Co., a little less than \$2,500; The Hobson Produce Company, \$2,423.64

Very Low Rates to the West.

The Missouri Pacific is preparing to handle a heavy Colonist movement to the West and the Northwest this Spring. An unusually low rate is being made: tickets sold March 15th to April 15th inclusive. Write today for leaflet containing full information regarding rates, routes and through tourist sleeping cars and through free chair car service. Address Paul Everett, D. P. A., 304 Paul Jones Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

Entertains.

Miss Cary Rosenfeld entertained the crowd of young folks Friday evening. Games were enjoyed and a gay time in general. Hours from 8 to 11. Those present were: Misses Susan Miller, Mary Breeding, Dora Eubank, Mary Myers, Creel Nell and Grace Conover, Messrs. Eddie Diddle, Leon Lewis, Bryan English, Tom Pateson, Ernest Harris, Clay Smith and George Hancock.

Eggs for Sale.

Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, 15 for 50 cents. I have 56 pure baed hens, no other breed of chickens.

J. M. Kearns,
Ozark, Ky.
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The Review of Reviews is one of the best periodicals published for information. It deals altogether with live questions and some of the best writers in the United States are contributors. It deals in facts and should visit every well regulated home. It is published in New York. Write for a copy and then subscribe.

WANTED:—Good sorghum molasses.

18-tf. Chandler & Moss.

The old Harmony Democratic banner, presented to that precinct by the late Allen G. Talbot, has been misplaced. Interested parties want information as to its location. Write to the Adair County News if you know who has it.

Anyone desiring hair Braided call on Mrs. J. Z. Pickett, Columbia, Ky. Work guaranteed.

Nat Walker sold Cassius Reynolds, last Wednesday, a pair of 5 year old horse mules for \$200.

The New Dormitory.

Messrs. G. F. Thomas and Earle Whittton and a Mr. Brinkley, all building contractors, were here last week looking over the specifications for the new brick dormitory at the Lindsey-Wilson. The two former live in Louisville and the latter at Springfield, Tenn. They will submit bids at an early day to the Educational Board of the Louisville Conference. The building is to be brick, three stories high, and will contain fifty rooms. It is to be completed before the September opening of the school. This building will be exclusively for boys. Mr. J. C. Miller, our local contractor, is also figuring on the job and will submit a bid. All the bids will be opened Thursday morning the 12th of this month at 9 o'clock.

"Pandora's Box."

"Pandora's Box" given by the fourth and fifth grades of the Public School Saturday afternoon was a decided success and drew a nice crowd in spite of the extremely bad weather. Much credit is due each child that took part and also their teacher, Miss Hyde, who so successfully trained them.

The proceeds of this much enjoyed little affair will be used for placing in the room a very helpful set of books for the use of the pupils.

Mules for Sale.

I have three or four pair of mules for sale, from 4 to 6 years old, 15 and 16 hands high. They are in Columbia. — Sam Burdette.

Tupman----Farris.

Last Wednesday afternoon, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tupman, Miss Nell Tupman was married to Mr. J. G. Farris, whose home is near Coburg. The ceremony was impressively said by Eld. F. J. Barger, of this place. Quite a number of relatives and friends witnessed the solemn rites. Both the bride and groom are excellent young people, and they have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Some Hog.

Mr. F. H. Durham, who recently located here, coming from Merrimac, Taylor County, informed The News, a few days ago, that before leaving his former home he slaughtered an immense hog. It weighed 750 pounds net. He sold the hog, the hams weighing 75 pounds each, the sides 100 pounds each and the shoulders 75 each. The hog brought him

From the Board of Health.

To the people of Kentucky:—A few cases of small pox exist in most of the counties of Kentucky. This loathsome disease can only occur in people who have not been vaccinated. Quarantine against individual cases of small pox is expensive and useless, as it only gives a false sense of security. No one who has been properly vaccinated at least three places on the arm, has ever had small pox in Kentucky. There has never been an arm nor a life lost from vaccination in Kentucky. Properly done by a competent physician, it is devoid of danger, is inexpensive, and is the only preventive against small pox. More money has been spent, most of it uselessly, in combating small pox in the last few years in Kentucky, than has been expended in thirty years in protecting our people from typhoid fever, consumption and the other common diseases of everyday life, and yet more deaths have occurred from either typhoid or consumption in the past year than small pox, yellow fever and cholera, combined, have caused in a century.

The Board is frequently asked why the law requires vaccination at three points an inch apart on the arm. Because experience teaches in Germany that no one having three or more good scars has had small pox. Vaccination does its work of protection through the glands under the arm. Charging these glands from three points instead of one makes them manufacture more of the protective element.

As soon as a case of small pox occurs, every individual exposed should be properly vaccinated or revaccinated, and there should be no second case of the disease. It is unnecessary to quarantine the well, provided they have been successfully vaccinated.

It is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of from \$100 to \$1,000 for any one having an eruption even resembling small pox, to go on any public street or road or any place where well people are. If the court officials will enforce this law and the one requiring vaccination, they will actually put into practice some real economy instead of the variety it is popular to talk about at election time. To prevent not only small pox, but the commoner and more dangerous diseases that cause most of our sickness and death in Kentucky, we need simply real education, actual law enforcement, and a health officer in each jurisdiction who can devote his entire time to, and earn a living by preventing sickness and death instead of treating people for unnecessary sickness.

It is a violation of the law to be unvaccinated, and it is also unlawful for any person, firm or company to employ any unvaccinated person in any work for

salary or wages of any kind. Intelligent people will be vaccinated without compulsion because it is reasonable, necessary and lawful; and health and other officials are urged to see that those who are not intelligent be compelled to be vaccinated so that the unnecessary drain on the city and county treasuries and on the purses of the people themselves from this entirely unnecessary pestilence be stopped. Small pox, like murder, will only be prevented when the law is enforced. In Germany they have no small pox because they enforce compulsory education and compulsory vaccination. This Board urges all the people of Kentucky who read this to be vaccinated themselves at once, or be re-vaccinated if they have not been vaccinated within seven years, and to see that their families, neighbors and dependents are vaccinated immediately.

Fresh, reliable vaccine virus may be secured from the State Board of Health, Bowling Green Kentucky, for \$6.50 for each one hundred points.

By order of the Board:
John G. South, President.
A. T. McCormack, Secretary.

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Anxiety Breaks Men.

It is a well known fact that protracted anxiety without rest, breaks more men than does hard intellectual effort. Statistics regarding the lives of stock-brokers in a certain city show that nearly every person who lived a sober life and continuously studied the ups and downs of the money market failed either mentally or physically in a short time—less than a dozen years—ultimately disappearing from active life. On the other hand, the men who were operators of great skill and coolness and who lived regularly most of the time, but occasionally gave way to the drink habit, lived longer and had fewer mental disorders. This, of course, cannot be construed into an argument in favor of drinking even occasionally, but was a strong indication of the benefit coming from the occasional complete relaxation from intense mental anxiety.

I keep on hands a full stock of coffins, caskets, and robes. I also keep Metallic Caskets, and Steel Boxes and two hearses. Prompt service night or day. Residence Phone 29, office Phone 98.

45-1 yr J. F. Trippett,
Ad Columbia, Ky.

Dirigo.

Inther England, Sparkesville, did business here last Saturday.

Mrs. J. G. Campbell fell in the fire one day last week and burned her hands.

F. A. Lewis, Fairplay, visited relatives here last Saturday and Sunday.

G. C. McKinley got his hand caught in the split of a board bolt a few days ago and bruised it very badly. It has given him much pain since.

S. F. Harvey and a Mr. Wheat, of the Fairplay community, were here one day last week buying cattle.

Frank Reece and Joseph M. Jesse, of Cofer, Metcalfe county, and J. W. Reece, of Breeding, here last Thursday.

Kentucky.

(By Robt. Lee Campbell.)

There is a State in this old nation, A State that I dearly love, And I'm inclined to believe that it has no equal.

Except in that Land above. And if you possess a home in that State,

I consider you to be quite lucky, For you'll find it quite true,

That there is no other State Half the equal of Kentucky.

She has soil of limestone formation, And also of sandy loam, And her mountain scenery is far superior

To the Cithaerons of Rome, She grows the famous bluegrass, hemp and corn,

And for escutents she is quite lucky, So come all who are true.

You are welcome I am sure,

To make your home in Kentucky.

All up and down the whole creation, Or anywhere I may rove,

I'll tell the world that Kentucky has no equal,

Except in that Land above.

Her horses are fine, her men they are brave,

Yes, you will always find they are plucky,

And you will find I am sure,

That there no other maid

So fair as those os Kentucky.

(The above verses were written a few years ago, but has just recently found its way into print. It was sold to Success Magazine just before that publication suspended business. But when the above magazine was sold the manuscript got into the hands of other publishers who are using it now.)

Stubborn, Annoying Coughs Cured.

"My husband had a cough for fifteen years and my son for eight years. Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured them, for which I am most thankful," writes Mrs. David Moor, of Saginaw, Ala. What Dr. King's New Discovery did for these men, it will do for you. Dr. King's New Discovery should be in every home. Stops hacking coughs, relieves la grippe and all throat and lung ailments. Money back if it fails. All druggists. Price 50c and \$1. Recommended by Paul Drug Co. Ad

Poisonous Woods.

Poison ivy, nettles and poison sumac are by no means the only plants which have a poisonous effect on the human skin.

Poisonous substances exist in many trees, and even after they have been cut and sawed a sufficient quantity of the poison remains in the lumber so that workmen who handle it are liable to infection.

Amberwood is impregnated with a powerful poison, and the Asiatic satinwood is known to be of poisonous nature.

What is known as cocobolo wood contains a poisonous substance. The placing of fine sawdust of this wood on the moist skin causes first a violent smarting. Following this red spots or pimples appear accompanied by inflammation of that part of the skin followed by scaling. The sawdust of the Mexican bluegum is harmful when the skin is especially sensitive, and has been known to produce painful eruption.

State Capital News.

Prohibition of the giving of trading stamps is provided in a measure of Representative Barret.

The bill to create the state athletic board of control and regulating boxing matches was reported favorably.

The bill to allow appeals from orders granting new trials and providing for the filing of records in such cases was passed by a vote of 75 to 3.

A bill, prohibiting trustees or regents of the State Normal schools from accepting employment from book companies, was offered by Representative Klott.

Representative Reed's bill provides that the judges of the court of appeals and circuit judges shall be nominated in the regular primary in the same manner as other officers.

The bill of Representative Walton, prohibiting the attorney general or his assistants or judicial officers of the commonwealth from holding employment under any public service corporation was reported favorably.

The last of the per capita apportionment of the state school fund was disbursed to the counties and cities. The total amount of the disbursement was \$500, 097.36, and State Superintendent Hamlett is congratulating himself that a nest egg of \$175, 846.49 is left to the credit of the department as a start toward the fund for extending the school term to eight months.

The committee on agriculture reported favorably a bill providing for the inspection of agriculture seeds and the establishment of a standard of purity, and labeling of packages of seeds for sale.

The shipping out of this state, and butchering of veal calves is prohibited in a measure presented by Representative J. B. Harvey.

W. L. Spahn, of Kenton county, employed by the house as a member of the extra corps, died at a hotel.

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Health Notes.

Before starting for a long morning walk, drink a glass of milk very slowly.

Sick headaches can be relieved by drinking a cup of black coffee without sugar but with the addition of the juice of a lemon.

The woman who has blond hair, also her gray haired sister, should be most particular to keep their crowns of glory perfectly clean, for dust shows upon blond and gray hair in a most ugly fashion.

The persistent use of peroxide of hydrogen when a cold sore first makes its appearance will kill it in a short time. Dab it in thoroughly every few minutes and it will in a short time draw the pus out, when, of course, the cause is removed. Then a healing cream should be applied.

Hot baths should be taken at night just before bedtime. They are apt to prove exhausting and bed is the best place for one to

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rest afterwards. One is apt to take cold after them, and exposure to the air is positively bad. The morning bath should begin with tepid water into which cold water pours until it is quite cold.

Uncleanliness is the first foe to good looking hands. If the skin has a tendency to dryness keeping them perfectly clean is not an easy matter. Morning and night the hands should be thoroughly scrubbed with a good lather and brush. If this does not suffice the grime should be removed with lukewarm water.

Then, when partially dried, honey or vaseline should be rubbed in.

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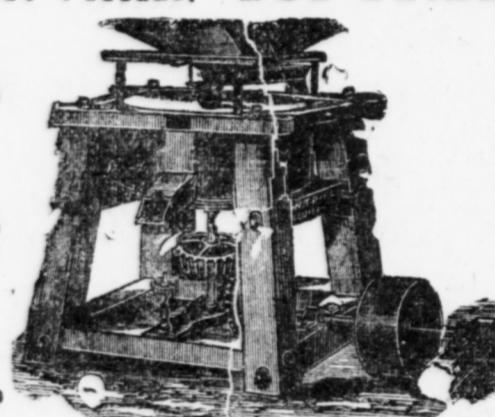
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Whom Should We Patronize?

Should a Mason patronize a brother Mason instead of giving his trade to some person or firm who are not members of the fraternity? asks the K. C. Masonic Herald. This is a question we often hear debated, but to the writer there is but one answer—Yes.

You will hear a brother say, "I didn't join Masonry for the purpose of getting their patronage." True, you didn't, brother, not if you are a good Mason, yet at the same time, what are the teachings of Masonry? Isn't the "Brotherhood of Man" the foundation of the Masonic organization? Now, what does "Brotherhood" mean? It means that every man who has made application for membership in a Masonic lodge has been investigated by a committee appointed for the purpose, and that not only they have found him worthy, but not even one member has cast a ballot against his becoming what?

A "brother." He's a brother, then isn't he? We have willingly accepted him as such, but how much of a brother is he? Just enough so that we perhaps call him "brother" in addressing him?

No, brother, it means vastly more than that; otherwise Masonry could not have withstood all the hard knocks of the past centuries and stand where it does today. It means that we have accepted him as a brother in every sense of the word, and that he should remain such as long as he shall conduct himself in a brotherly manner.

Suppose you wanted to buy a piece of furniture and you had a brother—a blood relation—in the furniture business in your town; whom would you go to first when you are ready to buy? To the brother, of course, and you

would even be willing to favor him a little if necessary, and he, more than likely, would be just as anxious to give you a little the best of the bargain. So it is with the Masonic brother, and he will appreciate this brotherly act even more, perhaps, than would a blood relation.

We believe that a great majority of the brethren feel as we do about this, and would rather patronize a brother Mason did they know who you were, where you were, and what you had for sale.—Masonic Home Journal.

Spring Blood and System Cleanser.

During the winter months impurities accumulate, your blood becomes impure and thick, your kidneys, liver and bowels fail to work, causing so-called "spring fever." You feel tired, weak and lazy. Electric Bitters—the spring tonic and system cleanser—is what you need; they stimulate the kidneys, liver and bowels to healthy action, expel blood impurities and restore your health, strength and ambition. Electric Bitters makes you feel like new. Start a four weeks' treatment—it will put you in fine shape for your spring work. Guaranteed. All Druggists. 50 and \$1 at Pauli Drug Co's. Ad

Luke McLuke Says:

Love may be blind. But if there are two suitors and one is poor and the other wealthy, a girl never gropes her way towards the poor man.

After a 16-year-old Princess has had one experience at puppy love she imagines that the Story of Her Life would startle the world.

Nothing else ever looks as dirty as a dirty white collar.

The reason a girl is so proud of a dimple is because she does not realize that some day it will be nothing but a wrinkle.

And we would all enjoy a funny story a whole lot more if the man who is telling it wouldn't spit all over us when he laughs.

As soon as a man gets the idea into his head that the firm can't get along without him, the firm attempts the experiment and finds that it can.

The skeleton in the Closet usually wears a skirt.

Every married woman knows that if she sent her husband for eggs he would bring home every unborn chicken in the grocery store.

Beauty may be only skin deep. But so is the kin that covers it.

When a girl tells you not to spend your money on theatre tickets and candy for her, you might as well go down and see what the installment furniture man will fix you up a flat for.

The old-fashioned woman who knew all about babies and nothing about Sex Problems seemed to get along all right somehow or other.—Enquirer.

We would be pleased to send the Daily State Journal, Frankfort, from now until the first of April for 50 cents. Or better still we will furnish the Adair County News, one year and the Daily State Journal until April 1st for \$1.25. If you want to keep in touch with the doings at Frankfort while the Legislature is in session, you should have the State Journal.

RURAL ORGANIZATION.

That rural life should be organized and can be organized is clear. Various agencies are definitely attacking its intellectual side. We are effectively studying rural physical improvements, especially good roads. The country roads are prerequisite for many important rural undertakings. They are prerequisite for better marketing, for better schools, for comfortable living and for the promotion of social life.

There is obvious need of organization for sanitary purposes and for social development. Whether all these shall come through definite attack of private or public agencies or as byproducts makes no difference; they must come. We can no longer entertain the notion that rural life shall remain isolated, disjointed and unorganized. Its organization is a national, economic and social necessity. It is more difficult to organize a scattered rural population than a concentrated one, but the great need is to give the rural population at least approximately the primary advantages which the town enjoys. The town is organization, and because of its organization and of its consequent advantages it has tended to attract to it the most ambitious youth of the country. The task of rural organization is difficult, but as the greatest educator of America has said, "The difficulty of a task constitutes no reason for declining it." And in this way lies the largest promise for national upbuilding and stability.—David F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture.

BANKERS AID RURAL LIFE.

State and Federal Help Urged In This Direction.

Resolutions providing for changes in the conditions of rural life in this country, which it was stated would decrease the burdens and increase the opportunities of the farmer and his family, were adopted at the third annual meeting of the committee of agricultural development and education of the American Bankers' association.

Vocational training in the public schools, plans to make the marketing of farm products easier and more profitable and federal aid to make farm demonstration work more general throughout the country were among the things urged.

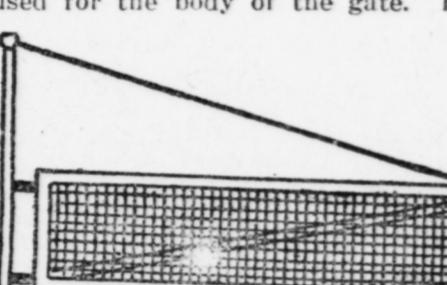
The resolutions in part follow:

"Our committee, being especially concerned with agriculture and instruction in that line in the country schools, realizes that it needs and must have the largest measure of aid to the end that the country boys and girls may be placed on an equal footing with those in town. Therefore we urge both state and federal aid in this direction.

"As farm demonstration work through local or country demonstrators has proved to be the most practical and effective means of improving framing methods and as the government has contributed thousands of dollars toward such work in certain states and little or nothing in others, we endorse and earnestly urge legislation on the part of congress that will provide generous federal aid in all the states for such work."

An Up to Date Gate.

The frame of this gate is made from boards six inches wide and an inch thick. Of course the gate frame is cut to any size the maker desires. One brace is placed corner ways across between the frames. Field fencing is used for the body of the gate. It is



THIS GATE IS EASILY MADE.

cut the right size with wire nippers and attached to the frame with small staples. The gate is suspended from a long pole set solid in the ground. To make this post solid set it in concrete. The gate is fastened to the pole with large hinges, and a wire cable or small chain holds the weight of the gate up to the top of the pole.

WINTER FEED FOR FOWLS.

An ample as well as a varied supply of green feed to hens during the winter is important for the health of the fowls. Its value does not lie in the amount of nutriment it contains, but as an agent in digestion. Fowls eat more when fed green food than otherwise. Vegetables induce increased eating, hence increased egg production.

Nearly all the common vegetables are relished by fowls, and they should be fed at regular intervals. Mangolds are easy to raise and keep well. Cabbage is a good food; the hens like it, and it does not flavor the egg. Turnips are an excellent vegetable for fowls when grown right, stored and cooked. Rape is an excellent green food to plant in the runs. Potatoes are good only when boiled. As a rule, they are too expensive to feed to poultry. Onions, when they can be had, are an excellent feed and, like lettuce, are excellent for chicks. Silage may be used, provided that only a small quantity is fed at first until the hens become thoroughly accustomed to it.

Hang him! I don't mind so much his eloping with my fiancee, but how in thunder can I break in another secretary?"

The Scrap Book

Burleson and His Fence.

When Postmaster General Burleson was a member of the house he rushed into his committee room one day and announced that he had at last obtained the iron fence around the old Pennsylvania station in Washington.

A cub reporter who happened to be present wrote a story about the fence and after stating the facts expressed the opinion that it would soon adorn one of the public parks in Burleson's district in Texas.

The Texas correspondents wired the story to their papers, and soon Burleson was deluged with telegrams.

Encountering the cub reporter, Burleson angrily demanded to know what he had written about the fence.

"What's the matter?" innocently asked the reporter.

"What's the matter?" shouted Burleson. "I paid \$125 for that fence at public auction; I paid \$100 to have it painted black and have the tops gilded; I paid \$75 freight on it to my home in Austin, Tex., where it was to be placed on my home grounds. What's the matter? Why, now I've got to give the consigned thing away!" —Washington Star.

The Little Things of Life.

Around the little things of life
A world of storm and sunshine lies,
Yet those too busy seldom see
The tired look in other eyes.

Around the little things of life
A wealth of loving mem'ries center,
And joys undreamt of by the world.
The humblest dwelling places enter.

Around the little things of life,
Connected by a thread so slender,
Are long lost smiles and bygone tears
Which helped to make our hearts more tender.

Alas, how many things in life
Are those of which we cannot boast!
Actions and words we think our best—
How poor and weak they are at most!

More full of love, oh, may they be,
Less full of self as in the past!
Help us, dear Lord, to offer thee
More perfect "little things" at last.

—M. Wayman.

Took Him at His Word.

The late King Edward, who so highly appreciated wit, even when, as sometimes happened, the joke went against himself, was once very neatly "scored off" by a lady whom later he deservedly esteemed for her many good works. She had just been presented to him and was somewhat nervous. To put her at her ease his majesty said, "Oh, Miss —, I want to have a long chat with you, but if I should unfortunately bore you pray tell me so." The king, who was an adroit cross examiner, wished to ascertain the young lady's age, which he had no intention of divulging. "You have already said you were born at —," said the monarch. "May I ask in what year?" "You bore me, sir!" was the smiling reply, and his majesty took the checkmate in the greatest good humor.

Giddy Girl.

In Mr. Thorold's "Life of Henry Labouchere" this story is quoted: The Grand Duchess of Tuscany had a venerable maid of honor about seventy years of age. She had piercing black eyes and looked like an old post chaise painted up and with new lamps. "How old do you think I am?" she once asked me with a smirking smile that caused my blood to run cold. I hesitated and then said, "Twenty." "Flat-terer," she replied, tapping me with her fan. "I am twenty-five."

The Busy Man's Romance.

He was a very busy man, and she was a very pretty girl. She insisted upon having a love letter every day. She got it.

"You write the loveliest letters, dear," she said. "And when you are so very, very busy all the time I think it is splendid of you to think of me."

"I don't forget you," he replied. "My secretary has instructions to write you a letter for me to sign every morning. He is a most efficient and capable young man."

"And you don't know how greatly I appreciate the flowers you send me every week."

"I'm glad you get them. I told my secretary to make a memo, to send you some every Saturday."

"How systematic! And it is so thoughtful of you to think of the plays I like best and the books I prefer."

"It's a pleasure to know you are pleased. My secretary gets the tickets and picks out the books. He is a very capable fellow."

Two months later the very busy man said:

"Hang him! I don't mind so much his eloping with my fiancee, but how in thunder can I break in another secretary?"

Laughter and Tears.

One of London's bright young journalists who went to interview Mme Sarah Bernhardt recently tried to converse with the great actress in her own language. His French was so bad, however, that at last, in despair, madame switched the conversation into English.

She speaks English fairly well, but after a minute or two she made a bad blunder, and the journalist was unable to restrain a smile.

"Why do you laugh?" madame asked him.

"I'm awfully sorry," he apologized, "but as a matter of fact, your English made me laugh a little."

"Mon Dieu," gasped madame; "my English made you laugh a little! But your French made me weep a lot!"

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In these days of progress when every avenue of enterprise is opening new opportunities for intelligent, active people, probably none equals the farm. The fact that every farm product has increased in price, that the world is not over supplied, that the larger part of productive land is under private control, and but little yet to be parceled out to farm owners, ought to impress every farmer of the importance, of the necessity of intense farming. From the earth man's supplies must come, and since the demand for agricultural products is increasing all the while, it is a plain fact; that the supplies must increase to maintain even present high prices. Should the output of the farms remain a few years as they are now, or should there be a shrinkage, the effect on prices would become extremely burdensome to the average wage earner. The solution of the situation as we see it, and the most profitable one to the farmer and the just one to posterity is the building and developing the productive powers of the land. It is not what you attempt to do, but what you really accomplish, that adds profit and pleasure. The man who makes more corn on five acres, land being equal, is doing much more good for himself and the world than the one who cultivates ten acres. This is now the accepted theory throughout the country, and leading agriculturalists are doing all within their power to stir up, educate and induce farmers everywhere, to adopt scientific methods. The appeal is made through agricultural papers, by encouragement from State and Nation. Many counties in the various States are awake to the real situation, and have heartily joined in the movement by employing experts in agriculture to demonstrate their theories and to awaken the average farmer to the great possibilities easy within his reach. Their methods reduced to plain facts, are, build your land and increase your production—make two ears of corn grow where only one heretofore has grown. It is the purpose of the farm demonstrator to show how this can be done, and to induce the farmer to do it. Since this county has no demonstrator, since it says to the world that our farmers know their business, that they are capable of handling the situation we trust that evidence to warrant this position, will be abundant next fall. Good farming is good sense energetically applied within the lines that bring the very best results. It is not so much what a man knows as what he does that produce results, and since the wide spread of agricultural papers and the intelligent lecturers sent out by the agricultural department,

we believe that some wonderful results would happen in this county, if our farmers would do what they know they ought to do. We need more determination, more enthusiasm and more pride on our farms than anything else.

The Glasgow Times of the 3rd inst., contained a surprise for the Democrats of Adair—the announcement that Judge Samuel E. Jones would not be a candidate for Appellate Judge in the Third district. For more than a year his name had been prominently mentioned in connection with the race, and his friends generally believed that he would enter the contest for the Democratic nomination. There is not a doubt but he would have been a formidable candidate, his ability for the place never having been called in question. He has served the 10th Judicial district as the Judge of the Circuit court for several terms, and has been a very satisfactory Judge for all the people. As a Jurist he stands high and is the peer of any man in this section of Kentucky.

Judge Jones is not generally acquainted in this immediate section, but those who know him well, speak of him as being without a stain and having all the elements which go to make up a fair and unpartial Judge. Eight years ago, when his name was mentioned for the Appellate bench, this county was outspoken for him, and at this time, although the voters of this section were unanimously for our own candidate, the Hon. Rollin Hurt, there was no feeling, except one of kindness, for Judge Jones. The Glasgow Times intimates strongly that Judge Jones will stand for re-election to his present position, and from the best information we have, he will have no opposition, as he is exceedingly popular in every county composing the district.

Mr. Edwin Rhorer, son of Hon. M. H. Rhorer, is an applicant for the post-office at Middlesboro, and his friends throughout the Eleventh Congressional district, are anxious for him to receive the appointment. He comes from Democratic families on both sides, and since he reached his majority he has been active in every campaign for the success of the Democratic ticket. He has not only been a worker in the ranks himself, but his brothers and father have spent their time and means to promote the interest of Democratic principles. This is the first time Mr. Rhorer has ever asked the administration for position, and his many friends feel that his claim should be recognized. He is a young man of correct habits, possessing attainments that peculiarly fit him for a post-master. His many Adair county friends would be glad to hear of his appointment, and we feel sure that to select him the administration would make no mistake. Honorable in all his dealings, courteous to all mankind, a true Kentucky gentleman, full of energy, the character of man whose every day walk pleases the people.

Cane Valley.

Mrs. T. R. Smith will leave for Lopisville the first of the week to purchase millinery goods.

Mr. W. C. Van Hoy was well pleased with his sale last week.

Sheep sold for \$5.50 per head; milch cows sold for \$45.00 to \$126.00; one bull for \$100.00; one pair of mules for \$262.50 and one young mare for \$175.00.

Messrs. T. A. Firkin, John Smith, Orby Christie, Walter Firkin, and T. F. Corbin are on the sick list this week.

Mr. W. W. Edwards, of Campbellsville, was in our vicinity last week looking for stock.

Mr. E. W. Rice spent last Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives in Campbellsville.

Mr. J. M. Callison has moved from Mrs. M. T. Bumgarner's residence on Mill street to Mr. C. R. Dudgeon's residence on Main street.

Misses Mattie Young and Ruth Upton, of the L. W. T. S., of Columbia, visited Mrs. H. C. Bennett from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. C. A. Wilson, who has been confined to his room with rheumatism for several days, is no better.

Mr. J. C. Bault made a business trip to Louisville last week.

M. Bobt. Bault, who has been sick for some time, is no better.

Mr. R. B. Wilson sold his crop of tobacco to the Greensburg Loose Leaf Co., last week and is well pleased with the prices.

Miss Martha Jones, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Blair, near Columbia, has returned home.

Mr. J. D. Eubank, of Purdy, was here a few days ago to see his mother and father, who are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Corbin left last week for Illinois, where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. Charlie Morris sold W. C. Van Hoy 10 head of yearling calves for \$27.50 each.

Mr. W. C. Van Hoy sold three calves, nearly one year old, to Mr. Bob Young for \$100.00.

Mr. Curt Yarberry sold to Mr. Eugene Blakey, of Campbellsville, two 2-year-old mare mules for \$300.00.

Rev. O. P. Bush filled his last appointment here and we understand that he has accepted a call at Milltown, and we regret very much that he will not be with us the remainder of the year.

About this time of year a great many people begin to manifest a lively interest in the roads. It is not difficult to understand why the interest in the road question arises at this particular time. The agitation starts in the mud-bound communities. The farmer has some grain he wants to get to market, or he has to move to move to another farm this year.

The merchants find that trade is slack, and realize the fact that the farmers can not come to town to shop.

The physician, the liveryman, the rural mail carriers, the teamsters, and all who are compelled to use the highways slop about and fight the mud.

When the roads get dry and people can begin to travel in automobiles, buggies, and other vehicles, they think then that the roads are fine and that they will continue to be fine always.

But why do we not go to work, when we can work, and make good roads. Like the man who had no roof on his house, was asked why? He said: "When it was raining he could not put it on, and when the sun was shining he did not need it."

Bowling Green.

Editor News:

As usual I enjoyed my visit at Columbia and Gradyville. In company with Strong Hill, the capitalist of Gradyville, I proceeded to Edmonton; and when I settled with Strong for my trip, he noticed that I had two dollars left, and he informed me that for the remaining two he would take me to Glasgow. I said, "all right," and if I could have produced two more dollars he would have brought me to Bowling Green, and for money enough, he would have conveyed me to Mexico.

I arrived in Bowling Green O.K., stopping with my daughter, Mrs. Claypool. She has two of cousin Nona Dohoney's daughters boarding with her, who are in school—Ina and Tommie—and four other fine girls of Larue county.

This is the greatest school town I ever saw. Most all the families, no matter how wealthy, are willing to take roomers or boarders, thus advancing the interest of the schools; and it sure takes lots of places, as three thousand are out of town pupils.

Mrs. Yates, Mabel, Mrs. Effie Purdy, Mrs. W. A. Thornton, Walter Burke, Frank Bell all came down for a few days' visit. Mrs. Claypool's house has been taxed to its capacity, yet we have all had a fine week.

From here I will go to Tennessee.

J. C. Yates.

Rugby.

We have been having a lot of cold weather the last few days.

Several from this place were in Columbia last Monday.

Uncle Billy Collins is in very feeble health.

Mack Gabbert, of this place, representing the Raleigh man, for Barren Co., is laid up with lagrippe.

Mr. Evin Roberts, of the L. W. T. S., was home last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. James Gaskin, who has been in feeble health for some time, is better.

Rev. Robert English, of Breeding, died last Sunday night. He had been in feeble health for several years, but died from lock bowels. He was a minister of the M. E. Church South, liked by all.

Miss Attie Bardin, died last Sunday night at Mrs. Mary Breedings, where she had made her home for several years. She was a devout Christian, a leader in the Sunday School at Breeding, and was beloved by all who knew her, but she has gone to rest with God. She was buried at her old home place, at Chance. A large crowd was at the burying.

Mr. T. J. Rosson and Dr. X. W. Scott transacted business at Columbia last Wednesday.

Mr. Mike Winfrey is collecting taxes in our neighborhood this week.

Miss Maggie Moore visited her parents on Leatherwood last Wednesday.

Mr. Bob Royse and family returned home from Texas last Wednesday. He says there is no place like old Kentucky. He will continue to shoe horses at the same old stand.

The writer is laid up with lagrippe this week.



They all see it now—what Henry Ford saw years ago—that the light, strong, quality car, sold at a low price, best meets the demands of all the people. Now they're all following where Henry For led.

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BALL CHIEF has for his sire the champion Montgomery Chief 1361, by Bourbon Chief 976, by Harrison Chief 1606, he by Clark Chief. 1st dam Louise Cabell 5900, by Red Squirrel 53, 2nd dam Juella C. by Jewell Denmark 70, he by Washington Denmark 64. 3rd. dam Dew Drop, by Artist 75. 4th. dam by Caldwell's Lexington. He has proven himself a breeder of high-class and is in every way worthy of your careful consideration.

Raven Bird 6550 A. S. H. R.

By Red Bird G. 1956, he by Joe Brown 1955, he by Cabell's Lexington 3234, he by Gist's Black Hawk. 1st. dam Authalia Thompson 13038, by Ottawa 232, by Red Squirrel 53. 2nd. dam Willie Ray, by Thompson's Lexington, he by Cabell's Lexington. 3rd. dam Stella Denmark, by Caldwell's Denmark. 4th. dam Bonnie Brown, by Nat Brown 81.

Raven Bird is a beautiful mahogany bay full 16 hands high, 7 years old, he has the best of eyes, feet and legs, a beautiful head and neck, a very heavy well set tail, which he at all times carries to perfection. He possesses extreme speed, style and action, and the most perfect disposition of any stallion I have ever seen or handled. He has five distinct gaits; and goes them all in a most attractive manner. You will note from his breeding that he has for his sire the famous old Red Bird, who has perhaps sired as many high-class show and sale horses as any stallion in Kentucky, and traces on his dam's side to Cabell's Lexington, conceded by all horsemen to be one of the greatest sires that ever lived. Raven Bird is one of Red Bird's greatest sons, and has proven himself an excellent breeder, and we have every reason to believe that, if he is given an opportunity he will make a reputation equal to that of his worthy sire. Service fee \$10.00 to insure a living colt.

Marion.

Marion is a black Jack with white points, 5 years old, 15 hands high, extra good length, heavy bone and foot, good head and ears. He has lots of substance, in fact he has all of the desirable features of a first-class Jack. He has proven himself very sure and a most excellent breeder. Service fee \$10.00 to insure a living colt.

I am prepared to take care of mares sent to me from a distance. Mares pastured at \$2.00 per month, or fed at \$10.00. In all cases money is due and must be paid when mares are bred to other stock, traded, parted with or removed from the neighborhood. All stock will receive my personal attention, and due care will be taken to prevent accidents or escapes, but will not be responsible should any occur.

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Personals.

Mrs. J. N. Page, who spent two months with her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Myers, Monticello, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Russell returned from the Cincinnati market the first of the week.

Mr. Frank Dechert, representing the Courier-Journal, spent a day here last week.

Mr. B. Cyrus Crawford, Greenville, Tenn., was here a few days ago.

Mr. S. W. Beck was quite sick several days of last week.

Mrs. Nannie Flowers, who was quite ill last week, has greatly improved.

Mr. C. S. Harris returned from Virginia last Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary J. McClain, who was quite sick last week, is better.

Mrs. W. A. Coffey was confined to her room several days of last week.

Miss May Stults was quite sick a portion of last week.

Mr. W. P. Nunnally, Horse Cave, made his regular trip to Columbia last Thursday.

Mr. Ezra Moore, Jamestown, well-known fertilizer man, was here last Thursday.

Mr. W. C. Murrell was confined to his room the most of last week with lagrippe.

Mr. R. L. Bunnell, of Louisville, brother-in-law of Dr. J. N. Murrell, spent day and night in Columbia last week.

Mr. Elmer Wheat, Jamestown, was here Thursday night, en route to Louisville—to take a revenue position.

Mr. J. D. Sharp, Amanda, was here last Friday, visiting his children, who are students in the Lindsey.

Mr. C. E. McClellan, of Burkesville, was here last Friday.

Miss Nell Hancock, who has been sick for several weeks, is a little better.

Miss Margaret Lovett, was sick several days last week.

Miss May Harvey was taken critically ill last Saturday night, but is much better now.

Miss Vickie Hughes has been quite sick since Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Hutchison returned Saturday, from a business trip to Louisville.

Mrs. Geo. Rosenthal, of Louisville, is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Mrs. P. H. Conover, Mt. Vernon, is visiting her parents.

Mr. R. E. L. Walters was here from Font Hill, Russell county, Saturday.

Mrs. Georgia Grenshaw has been very sick for the past week.

Mr. Henry Hancock has about recovered from a spell of sickness.

Mr. C. M. Barnett reached home Monday.

Mr. Ray Conover is wrestling with the pets that afflicted Jobe.

Mrs. Lou W. Atkins returned from the markets last week. Her daughter, Miss Mabel accompanied her from Louisville.

Messrs. G. M. Covington and W. H. Warder, Russellville, were here several days of last week, figuring on the contract for the dormitory.

Mr. Geo. E. Wilson and his little son, Davis, wrestled with the lagrippe last week. In fact the disease had a firm grip on nearly every body in Columbia.

Mr. E. B. Barger will leave this week for Lynchburg, Va., where he

Local Market.

Tc-day.

Eggs.....	18
Hens.....	12
Chickens.....	12
Cocks.....	3
Turkeys.....	00
Geese.....	6
Ducks.....	10
Wool spring clipping.....	18
Hides (green).....	15
Feathers.....	40
Ginseng.....	5 50
Beeswax.....	25
Yellow Root.....	2 75
May Apple (per lb).....	

Neatsburg.

The bad weather has made news scarce.

Several from this community were in Columbia, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassius Breeding spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Beard, of Eunice.

Miss Mollie White is very sick at this time.

Mr. R. K. Young, of Columbia, passed through our neighborhood last week en route for Stanford.

Miss Lorena Pyle left Friday morning for Horse Cave, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Lovett. On her way she will stop in Louisville to buy her spring millinery.

Mr. W. M. Wilson and her little daughter, Melvina, Monticello, and Mr. W. F. Hancock, Louisville, have arrived to be at the bedside of Miss Nell Hancock, who is critically ill.

Mr. T. B. Curry, who lives on Harrod's Fork, and who has been in Columbia six weeks, having her throat treated, called at the News office last Friday. She stated that her throat had been greatly improved, and that she would leave for her home the latter part of this week.

Mr. Emma Breeding spent last Wednesday with Miss Lela Beard.

Miss Fannie Neat is on the sick list this week.

Several from this neighborhood attended the surprise birthday dinner at Mr. John White's, of Eunice, last Saturday, and reported a grand time.

Knifley.

Farm work is at a stand still on account of the bad weather.

W. J. Tucker & Co., of Neatsburg, are building a new telephone line from that place to Knifley, via, Knifley.

Mr. Everett White is talking up a telephone line from this place to Columbia, or to tap the Hancock line at Mr. Dave Rice's. Come Everett, we are all ready for such a line.

Several young men are leaving here this spring for Illinois to spend the summer.

A large crowd attended Walford Bros., sale. Quite a lot of property sold.

Mr. J. R. Beard sold his tobacco on the closing day of the Greensburg market, receiving very good prices.

A nightly meeting is in progress, and has been for two weeks, at the camp grounds, on the pike leading from Roley to Wilson's creek.

Two brothers of Dr. J. C. Gose, of Pulaski county, visited the Dr. and family a few days last week.

Joe L. Beard passed through here last Wednesday, with a bunch of light hogs bought of Joe G. Knifley.

Mr. Geo. Williams, near Neatsville, lost a valuable mule a few days ago. It had locked bowels. He also lost a horse that he had paid \$165 for.

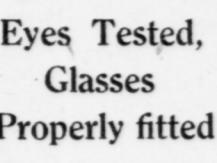
Good crowds attend the clearance sale on at L. R. Chelf's, to continue to Saturday, March 14.

Wheat is looking promising at

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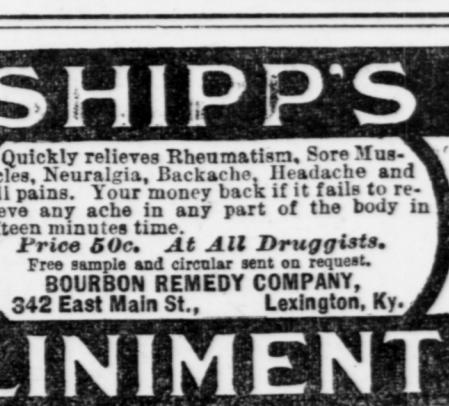
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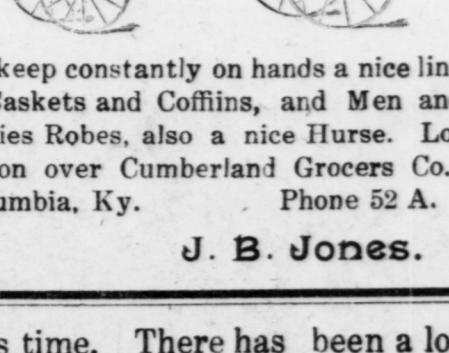


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Mrs. Kent Bryant has been a great sufferer for three weeks, with grippe and neuralgia.

Absurd Prejudices.

The Fulton leader makes the following sensible observations about the relations that should prevail between residents of the county and dwellers in the towns:

"The time has passed in Kentucky or anywhere in this section when the people in the country can be influenced by the old-time efforts of the demagogue to array them against the people in town. The town needs the country, and the country needs the town. They are mutually helpful to each other. That spirit might have had some effect 40 years ago, but in this age of telephones, rural routes carrying the daily news of the world to every neighborhood in the country, the people are too well informed and up-to-date to give any thought to such a thing. The man who would attempt such a scheme ought to be bored for the simples."

This is all true as preaching. There used to be a lot of absurd prejudice of this kind but it is less and less in evidence as the years go by. The town and the county are interdependent and there is no reason why the utmost cordiality should not exist between them.—State Journal.

Best Family Laxative.

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Scientific Notes.

Kangaroos on their native heath have been known to jump 70 feet.

Horse hair automobile tires have been patented by a French inventor.

More than 10,000 known species of orchids have been listed by experts.

Argentina has established an experiment station for the cultivation of tea.

Tarnished gilt braid can be restored by removing the dust and rubbing it with powdered alum.

A motor driven aerial propeller, placed in front, draws a sleigh invented by a German engineer.

The propeller of a new boat is driven by the rise and fall of the waves on which the craft rests.

Wireless telephony has been installed in an English coal mine and is giving satisfactory results.

American typewriters, of which five kinds are in the field, virtually monopolize the French market.

A gate valve for a water pipe large enough to drive an automobile through recently was made in Germany.

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If You Don't Want a Fire.

Don't go into closets looking for clothing with a lighted match.

Don't kindle fires in stoves with kerosine.

Don't put hot ashes and coal in wooden barrels or boxes.

Don't thaw out frozen water pipes with a torch or lamp.

Don't allow waste paper, excelsior and rubbish to collect.

Don't use gasoline for cleaning in a closed room.

Don't look for gas leaks with a match or lamp.

Don't allow lace curtains near gas brackets.

Don't allow oily rags near stoves or about the premises.

Don't throw away any waste paper in a fireplace.

Don't throw cigarettes or cigars away if lighted.

Don't keep matches in paper boxes, or lying about carelessly.

Don't use snapping parlor matches, taboo them.

Don't forget that matches are the beginning of many conflagrations.

Don't hang your clothing near open fires or stoves.

Don't fill lamps after dark, and never when lighted.

Don't allow rubbish in hallways or fire escapes.

Don't burn leaves and dead grass on windy days.

Don't forget to have the chimneys of your home cleaned once a year.

Don't fail to look twice at everything that looks like fire.

Don't leave everything to the landlord, inspect your own building.

Don't fail to give the Fire Department representative every opportunity to make a careful examination of your property. They are trying to help you.

Don't fail to notify the Chief of the Fire Department of anything you may see that is dangerous and liable to cause fire, remembering that every day is fire prevention day.—The Woman's Home Weekly.

The Mothers' Favorite.

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NIGH UNTO DEATH

By ALVA R. HUNTINGTON

It was at a time when the trans- mississippi country was developing, and instead of the iron horse, with its train dashing along at the rate of fifty miles an hour, the stagecoach lumbered at the rate of five or six. One of these coaches left Denver one morning, struck the mountains at Golden City, mounted to the highest point and moved on downward and upward alternately toward Georgetown.

On the top of the coach a gentleman and his family were enjoying the scenery. The driver sat on his box trying to keep awake, for he had been drinking, while beside him sat a young man whose costume denoted that he was a resident of the region. The coach reached the top of an ascent, and the road in front wound downward in one of those frequent dips in the mountains. It had begun the descent, and the young man sitting beside the driver, noticing that he had failed to put on the brake, looked aside at him to see what it meant. The fellow was asleep and had not only failed to "brake," but had let go his hold on the reins, which were now down on the pole.

A punch in the ribs awoke the driver, who, seeing the reins dangling from the pole and the coach rolling rapidly down the crooked road, jumped from his seat, preferring rather to be injured by a fall on the stony road than to be hurled over a precipice he knew to be at a turn farther down.

There were shrieks from the women passengers, while the men were paralyzed. But among the latter there was one exception. The young man left alone on the box let himself down on the pole, gathered up the reins, climbed back on to the box and put on the brake. The horses were by this time so wild and the speed so great that it was very difficult to control the one and lessen the other. Not an eighth of a mile distant was the turn in the road, with a gulf a thousand feet deep on one side. The cries and shrieks had ceased with the effort thus far made to regain control, and every eye was fixed on the danger ahead, every breath held in terror.

The man on the box kept a firm hand on the reins and pushed with all his strength with his right foot on the break. There was a lessening of the speed, but would it be reduced sufficiently to go safely round the curve? The hearts of those whose lives were at stake were throbbing in time with the jumping of the horses. When the turn was reached the velocity was still so great that there was little hope. The women recommended to shriek. "Stop that!" said the driver. "You'll excite the horses."

The cries ceased. There was no sound except what came from the horses' hoofs and the creaking of the coach, while every one held with a tight grip to his seat and looked with straining eyes at the gulf before him. The driver guided the horses as near the rock on the inner side as he dared, for should he hit it the coach would be knocked over the precipice. Notwithstanding his effort so great was its swing when it made the turn that a hind wheel slid over a slope a few feet from the edge. The driver gave a yell to the horses and threw the long lash of his whip among them with a crack. Every animal gave a jump, the wheel came back on level ground, and the rest of the turn was made in safety.

The final effort caused the horses to break forth again, and again they must be brought under control. But now the road was comparatively straight and soon the situation began to lessen. In a few minutes the bottom of the dip was reached, and the coach was brought to a standstill. Then the driver was infolded in the arms of those on the outside of the coach, both men and women.

An hour later the coach drove up to the hotel at Idaho Springs and all alighted. The gentleman who was traveling with his wife and family took the driver aside for a private interview.

"You have saved the lives of a coach load of persons," he said, "including myself, my wife and family. Had it not been for your coolness and courage we would all have met with a frightful death. What can I do for you? I'm rich and my fortune is at your disposal."

"You owe me nothing, sir," said the young man, with a British accent. "My own life was in jeopardy. In saving myself I saved the others."

"You could have left the coach as the cowardly driver did."

To this the young man made no reply.

"Come," resumed the gentleman: "anything you ask that is in my power to grant shall be granted."

The young man hesitated, then said: "I don't belong here; I came from England. You know the younger sons in England must shift for themselves. I came to this country, where I am not known, and can turn my hand to anything. Being fond of horses, I drove a stage. I have left that and am going up to Georgetown to start on a prospecting tour."

But the young man's plans were changed. He went to the east, entered the banking house of the man whose life he saved and is now wealthy. He says that he went just near enough to the edge of a precipice to grasp a fortune without going over.

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No matter how healthy a human being may be it is safe to say that not many months are passed without some obstruction of the bowels, in other words, constipation, even if only temporary. The bloating, the dull feeling may start after the evening meal. If a laxative is not taken that night it is certain that sleep will be disturbed, sound, and you will awaken unrefreshed.

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4. Have a mat at your bedroom door.

5. Keep your bed away from the wall.

6. No cold bath in the morning, but a bath at the temperature of the body.

7. Exercise before breakfast.

8. Eat little meat, and be sure that it is well cooked.

9. Drink no milk. (This applies to adults only.)

10. Eat plenty of fat to feed the cells which destroy disease germs.

11. Avoid intoxicants which destroy the cells that combat diseases.

12. Allow no pet animals in your living rooms, for they carry disease germ.

13. Live in the country if you can.

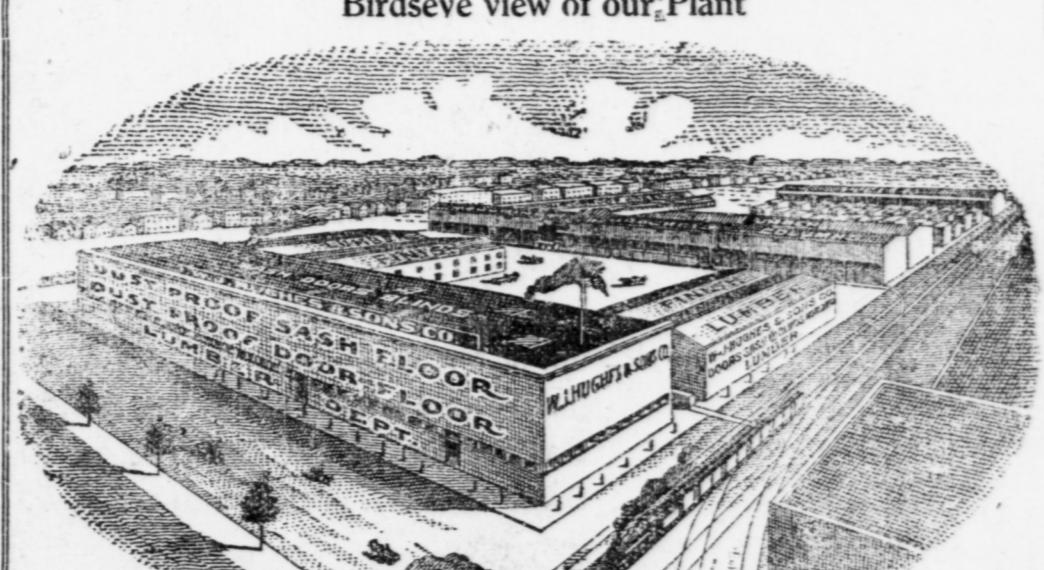
14. Watch the three D's—drinking water, damp and drains.

15. Have change of occupation.

16. Take frequent and short holidays.

17. Limit your ambition.

18. Keep your temper.

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We have a citizen that hulls out our bread and keeps our potatoes (sweet,) but nothing doing in the potato line this year.

We have a fine line of young men, all workers, and true to the mark.

Now we have some other things that I could mention, but I will tell you of a few that we haven't. We have not an "old maid" in the clearing, not a single "sissie" under sweet sixteen or over sixty-five. We have no loafers, boot-leggers, nor jacks of all trades. Now aint this going some?

There is one thing we want bad, and one we don't want at all—the former is a milliner, the latter an undertaker.

I came very near not mentioning some very important personages and enterprises we also have—a daily mail line, telephone connection with the business world and also telephone connection with every body's business, but the greatest of all is a "professional grumbler." I associate with her daily, and know whereof I speak, but I love her just the same.

The Forty Year Test.

An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872.

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Mt. Pleasant, No. 3.

Lawrence Pickett and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday with the family of Hardin Cundiff.

Mr. Geo. Cundiff and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Mandie East.

Mr. Claud Callison and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in Columbia.

Misses Annie Lizzie Hood, Bessie Williams and Bush Tupman were the guests of Phoebe and Cora Smith Saturday night.

Mrs. Tennie Smith spent last week with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hutchison spent last Sunday with Mr. Bill Tupman and family.

Mr. Will Van Hoy and Mr. Claud Callison were in Columbia last Monday.

Mr. Ruel Cabell was the guest of Elmer Murrell Tuesday night. They certainly rendered some fine music.

Mr. Johnnie Bryant, who has been here on a visit from Illinois, has returned to his position.

Misses Bettie and Sallie Butler were in Cane Valley last week.

Miss Zella East visited her sister, Mrs. Dempsey Rice, at Jericho, last week.

Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs 50 cts per setting of 15.

H. N. Miller.

ROUND THE WORLD

Venice has a newspaper founded 313 years ago.

Bombay has 37,932 occupied and 7,784 unoccupied houses.

Cleveland in 1913 gave nearly \$3,000,000 to charities.

Since 1909 Japan has more than doubled its exports of toys.

Panama sends about 5,000,000 cocoanuts a year to the United States.

More than 12,000,000 American women are affiliated with mission work in foreign fields.

X ray apparatus has been invented for killing the tiny parasites that eat small holes in leaf tobacco.

By the addition of magnesia and an oxide an extremely elastic glass has been brought out in France.

The ameer of Afghanistan receives an annual subsidy of about \$600,000.

Since 1857 there have been sixty disasters in the collieries of south Wales. A total loss of life of 2,908.

It is said that Chinese girls take more interest in American life and politics than their American sisters.

The population of Manchuria is variously estimated between 5,000,000 and 10,000,000, the latter being the customs figures.

New York legal aid bureau for a fee of 10 cents furnishes a lawyer to assist immigrants and poor persons in obtaining justice.

Women are to be admitted to the faculty of theology, the synod of the canton of Neuchatel, in Switzerland, has just decided.

The new civil code has introduced important reforms in Switzerland since it gives both parents equal rights over their children.

It is remarkable to what extent Sweden exports butter. After iron ore is the second article of importance in the export trade.

Chinese in the Hongkong district have recently taken to ice cream. There is a tremendous sale of American ice cream freezers.

The foreign commerce of the United States in the calendar year 1913 approximated \$1,750,000,000 of imports and \$2,500,000,000 of exports.

Chicago leads the largest twenty-two cities in the United States in the percentage of increase in automobile accidents in the last five years.

The postoffice department of India maintains a life insurance branch, which has over 23,000 active policies, with an aggregate insurance of \$10,000,000.

The ultra violet ray is being introduced by Paris dentists for whitening discolored teeth and sterilizing them in such a way that they are less liable to decay.

In Argentina it is possible to lease not more than 49,421 acres of public land and to buy directly 6,178 acres of pasture land, or 494 acres of agricultural land.

In Guinea there is a tree which yields a peculiar kind of fruit—huge fruit resembling in size a cannon ball and which makes a tremendous noise when it pops.

In proportion to its weight California redwood is the strongest conifer so far tested at the United States forest products laboratory. This strength is due to its long fibers.

Frightful conditions among the poor were revealed by the Dublin strike. It is said that there are over 12,000 one room tenements which house from three to twelve people each.

Three airship trips across the unexplored region of the island of New Guinea are planned by German scientists to make observations to aid men who plan to traverse it on foot.

It is said that the Paris Academy of Science has offered a prize of \$2,000 for the person who devises a means for domesticating the heron in order to obtain aigrettes without killing the birds.

The nizam of Hyderabad is reputed to be the wealthiest individual in India and one of the wealthiest persons in the world, with a personal income said to amount to \$2,500,000 a year.

After twelve years of experience of girl messengers in Europe, Reuter's Telegram company declare boys to be better, as girls are not at all adaptable to the work, are slower and more expensive.

Out of nearly \$20,000,000 spent last year in the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis in the United States 69.3 per cent of the money was derived from public funds, either federal, state, county or municipal.

In Stavanger, Norway, even peasants and fishermen use electric lights. The engineer of the municipal electric plant has organized a class of housewives for instruction in the use of electricity heated cooking apparatus.

W. F. Passett, who has done more than any other man to make the dahlia one of New Jersey's most extensive and profitable crops, has been raising this flower for more than seventy years. He is now eighty-eight.

In a new hotel in Worcester, Mass., there will be a clock set into the door of the lobby. The dial will be of glass—one inch thick and will be twenty-four inches in diameter. The clock will be run entirely by electricity and regulated daily by telegraph.

The Norwegian government has granted Roald Amundsen, the explorer and discoverer of the south pole, permission to establish a postoffice on board the Fram during his coming trip through the arctic seas. This will be the most northerly postoffice in the world, and its object will be to send souvenirs from the unknown regions through which the Fram moves.

THE MAN WITH THE WOODEN LEG

By M. QUAD

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Of the six passengers who alighted from the stagecoach at the Acorn Inn, in Blissfield, one April evening, one was a man with a wooden leg. The stranger registered as John Gordon of Chicago, and, when he gave out that he might remain in Blissfield for several weeks, everybody wondered what business could have brought him there. After three or four days it leaked out that the man was a government agent, who had come to watch the men who had been stealing timber off certain lands. That gave him increased respect, and yet even I, a schoolboy, noticing the man's steel gray eyes, firm set jaw and thin lips, could have told that he was cruel, if not bad hearted.

He had lost his left leg at the knee, and the substitute was not a cork leg, but a crotch and a stick—the plainest and cheapest sort of an affair. His dress was also very plain, his speech that of the common order.

"The man with the wooden leg," as he came to be generally spoken of, had been in town about a week when one of the leading merchants was robbed of about a thousand dollars in cash. The local constable did a great deal of talking, but struck no clew, and in his desperation he asked Gordon to assist him, believing no doubt that a government officer of any sort ought to be more or less posted in detective work. Gordon seemed to think the matter over for awhile and then replied:

"The case is as plain as the nose on your face. The merchant's son took the money, and after this thing quieted down he will go off to St. Louis to have a good time. I'd stake my life he's got every dollar of the missing cash securely hidden away somewhere."

Ten or twelve days passed, and then came a terrible tragedy.

The richest man in Blissfield was Squire Higgins. He owned the woolen mills, store and several houses and had money to lend. He was a widower, but lived with his son and wife. His room was on the ground floor, while all others slept upstairs. He had no safe, but kept his money in a tin box on a shelf in a closet. He had a bank account over at Medina, ten miles away, but often had \$1,000 or more in the house. One evening when the others were ready to go to bed he announced that he had some business to attend to and was seated at his desk in the sitting room when the others retired. About midnight the daughter-in-law heard a fall and a groan downstairs, and when her husband went down to investigate the squire was found dead on the floor, having been stabbed no less than five times in the body.

House and grounds were searched, but the murderer had escaped, and he had also taken with him the cash box, which contained about \$700.

Gordon seemed to take a lively interest in the murder. No outside help would have been called in and the murderer might have gone his way but for the arrival of another stranger. He was, as it happened, a first class detective, who was just then employed in tracing a missing man. The crime was a day old when he reached Blissfield. He heard all the particulars from the loungers at the inn and then volunteered to look the ground over.

This was a courtesy on his part which the sheriff could not refuse, and after supper he was taken to the house. The tracks in the garden were still fresh when the detective took hold of the work, and in three minutes he had made up his mind to something. He had little to say to any of the men, explaining that he had not yet completed his investigations, but as he left the house to return to the inn, while I followed at a respectful distance, he turned down a quiet lane, beckoned me to follow, and when we were alone he lighted his pipe and asked: "Boy, do you know any man in town who is lame in the left leg?"

I answered in the negative, but added that there was a man with a wooden leg at the inn. He at once began to question me about this man, not yet having seen him himself, and I told him all I knew and all I had heard. Of course he told me nothing in return, though I heard him chuckling to himself, and his face betrayed the fact that he was pleased about something. I acted as his guide to the jail, and when in the presence of the sheriff he said:

"I want you to go with me to overhaul the man with the wooden leg at the tavern."

The sheriff, detective and constable, with two or three other citizens, proceeded to the inn and to Gordon's room. He was cool and quiet and offered cigars all around, but those who were watching him saw him grow pale as the sheriff began by begging his pardon and hoped no offense would be taken, but would let them look at his wooden leg.

Gordon faltered and bluffed and was reaching for his pistol under his pillow when the detective seized him. When they had him securely bound they unstrapped his wooden leg, and lo, his left foot was there as right as any man's. Yes, he was the man who had robbed the merchant and the postmaster, and he was also the murderer of Squire Higgins. On the evidence worked up by the detective in a couple of hours time Gordon was tried, convicted and hanged, and every dollar of the stolen money went back to the rightful owners.

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Gradyville.

The most disagreeable day of the season was last Sunday.

Miss Mattie Dulin was on the sick list a few days of last week.

Miss Mollie Flowers returned, the first of the week from Horse Cave and other places, where she had been on an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Diddle spent a few days the first of the week visiting their new home in Logan county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yates have just returned from Rocky Hill Station where they spent several days visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Keltner attended services at Milltown last Saturday. They report a delightful service.

W. L. Fletcher, Deputy Sheriff, spent a day or so in the Breeding community, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Squires, of Green county, spent a few days with the family of Mr. Alfred Parson last week.

Mr. A. T. Sherrill, who has been confined to his room for several weeks, has been resting well for the past few days.

Mr. Thos. Dowell, of Green county, spent a day or so in this place last week looking after his farming interest.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baker visited relatives at Red Lick and Edmonton for a day or so of last week.

Mr. Eugene Wethington and Mr. John Morrison, of Columbia, spent a day or so here last week looking after their timber business.

Married, on the 20th, Mrs. Genie Denny to Mr. Willy Coomer, and on the 8th, Miss Annie Coomer to Mr. Lewis Coomer. Rev. Payne officiated in both marriages.

Mrs. Willie Jones continues in a very critical condition.

Mr. W. L. Grady spent a day or so at Greensburg last week receiving several hundred bushels of oats.

Mr. R. H. Keltner was on the sick list a day or so of last week.

Mr. Arthur Curry attended County court at Columbia last Monday.

Mr. Genie Nell lost a very valuable young Jersey milch cow one day last week.

Drs. Nell and Simmons have begun work on their office. The work will be pushed to a finish and completed in a few weeks.

Mr. Otha Moore and family, who have been living in Cumberland county for the past two years, have moved back near this place and will reside here permanently.

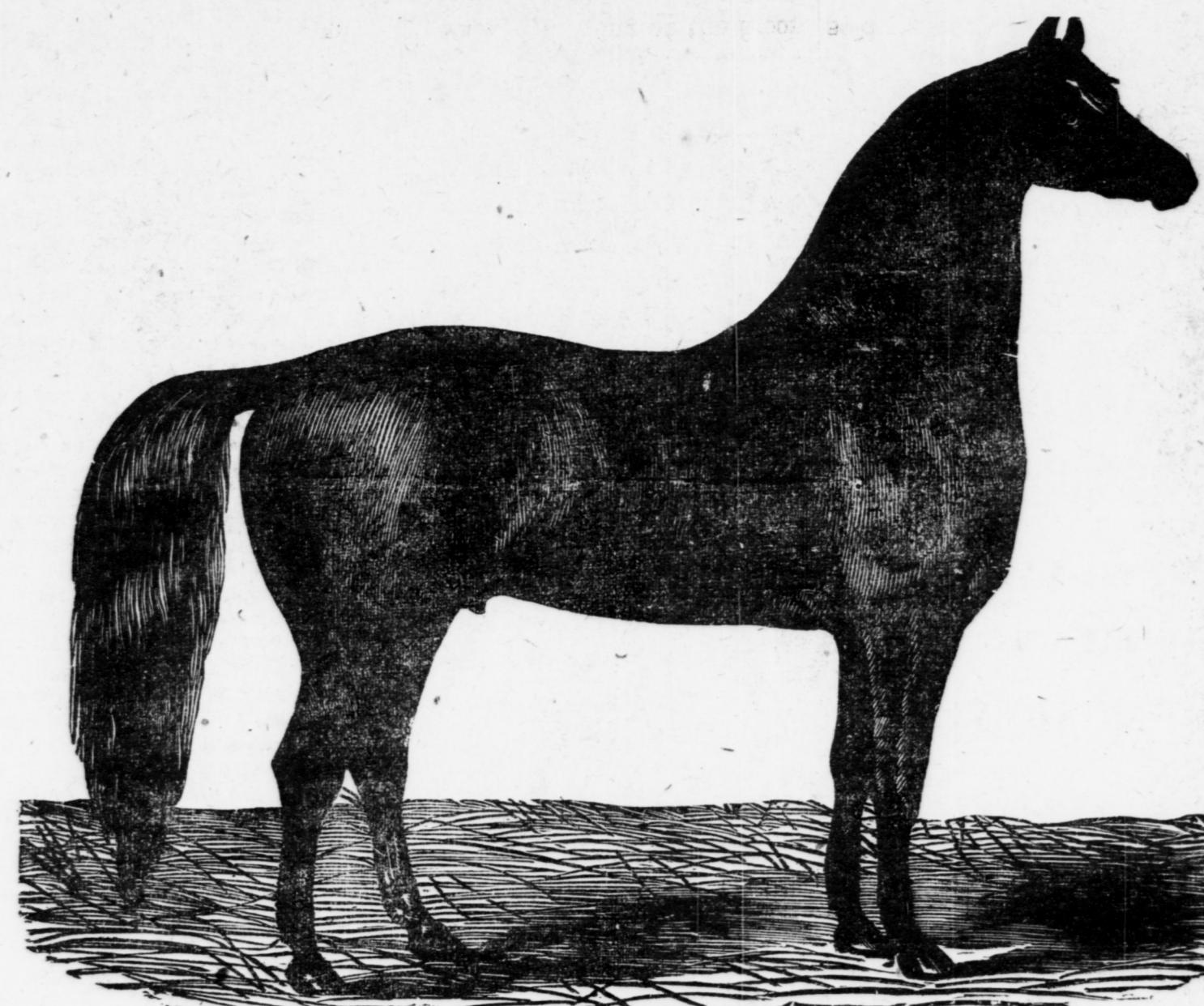
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Messrs. Hill and Stults, who have been working to get their saw mill ready for sawing, near this place, have their work completed and are now ready for sawing.

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The Adair County Spoke Co., is having a shed built over their spokes, at this place, this week. It is quite a sight to see their yard of spokes. In footing up the amount that has been scattered from this company with our people amounts to something over four thousand dollars and they are on the market two days, Wednesday and Thursday, of each week, for spokes at the same price. Hard times and money scarce will get a move on the people.

Greensburg

Excitement has been high here this week when a number of warrants were issued for the arrest of bootleggers, blacks and whites. Warrants were issued for the arrest of L. P. Bardin, a stave dealer and manufacturer here and for three men working under him—Tom Carter, Austin Gregory and Lee Bishop; and for Mitt Smith, June Hunter and Fred McDougal. More than forty witnesses appeared before the Court of Inquiry held Saturday morning and afternoon, with C. E. Graham, the newly commissioned Police Judge sitting. The wholesale distribution of liquor by bootleggers in the town and County has been responsible for a large amount of disorderly conduct and drunkenness of minors and good citizens are up in arms, ready to assist in every way possible to scourge the country of this evil as far as possible. The town has had detectives here for sometime and it is through their vigilance that these warrants were issued. General Deputy Collector T. Sloan Eastland and Revenue Agent, B. B. Bouldin, both of Louisville arrived on the scene Friday afternoon. Trials have been set for Tuesday March the 10th.

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Louisville papers of the butter famine that prevails here, and sent by parcel post to her friends here, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Moore, a carton of nice butter, which was an excellent product of her Indiana dairy.

General Deputy Collector, T. Sloan Eastland, of Louisville, but who lived at Harrodsburg, is a cousin of Mrs. J. J. Booker, of this place, and made her a visit while here on business. Mrs. Booker's mother was a Miss Eastland, a sister of Deputy Eastland's father, and was reared at Harrodsburg and Danville.

Mr. Charles R. Cabeli, of this place, last week purchased of Mr. Tom Dowell, at Gresham, his splendid farm for \$10,000. Mr. Dowell will later take possession of the Diddle farm which he bought recently at Gradyville and Mr. Cabeli will not take possession of the Dowell farm until the latter part of the year.

The Presbyterian Womans Missionary Society met with Mrs. W. H. C. Sandidge this week. The Society is preparing its annual March program which will be given at the Presbyterian Church March 15th. Their subject will be "The American Indian."

During the extremely cold weather of the past week, Mr. Joe Underwood, an aged citizen, living near Sand Lick, this county, was frozen to death. He lived alone but near to an adopted daughter, Mrs. Nelson, who with her husband, Will Nelson attended to his wants. Mr. Underwood had wandered from his bed and was found lying on the floor, the covers pulled from the bed. When found the next morning, he had been dead about eight hours. Mr. Nelson left him at bedtime the night before, telling him he would be back early the next morning to make a fire for him, when he found him dead. Mr. Underwood had been a life

long member of the Primitive Baptist Church at Sand Lick. His funeral and burial took place there.

Mrs. E. T. Rogers and Mrs. R. B. Buchanan returned from market this week after buying millinery and dry goods. Mrs. Buchanan was taken ill while in Louisville and had to be brought home. She is some better but has had a severe attack of pleurisy.

Poultry prices for the past week have been the best of the season. Hens have been selling for 16c. eggs 25c, and the latter are rising, owing to the Lenten season.

Carmel.

The mumps and measles are raging throughout this neighborhood.

Mr. Nat Bailey, of Arkansas, has been visiting relatives and friends in this section for the past three weeks, and is now on his way home.

Mr. Billie Bailey and son were the pleasant guest of Mrs. Mary E. Grant last Wednesday night, who lives near Atcherson, Taylor County.

Mr. Howard Russell, of Plum Point, was the pleasant guest of his aunt, Mrs. W. W. Johnson, last Sunday night.

Mr. Sam Bailey has returned to his home Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Jack Smith and two children, of Taylor Co., were at the home of her parents a few days of last week.

Mr. Ray Page is buying sheep through this section.

The sale at Mr. W. C. Van Hoy was largely attended and stock sold well.

Wheat and oats are not looking very well through this section.

There was a birthday dinner at Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Grants in honor of Nat Bailey. There was a large attendance and all reported a nice time. His friends and relatives gathered in about 10 o'clock with well-filled baskets

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